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REMEMBER THE CHEAPEST IS NOT THE BEST, BUT THE BEST THE CHEAPEST. I SELL THE BEST TO THE BEST.

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Why it pays to use our auto supplies of all kinds. But you won't need proof if you once use our oils, greases, pumps, lamps, tools, horns and other auto accessories. They'll do their own proving and be their own best argument. The fact that so many experienced auto-lists are our regular customers is evidence of the character of our service.

Wilmot & Henderson  
BOW ISLAND

## Farmers!

We had numerous calls for Light Tractor Discs during September and October last, and were unable to supply them.

We are now in a position to accept orders for February and March delivery, and are advised that the supply will be limited. If you require a Tractor Disc for spring or summer use you will be well advised to place your orders early, as the early orders will surely get the preference.

We are able to quote you prices on Drills for spring delivery.

S. G. JAMIESON, Bow Island.

## GERMAN DRIVE EXPECTED.

With the British armies in the field, January 16.—Germany's preparations for a drive are undoubtedly progressing. More German divisions have recently arrived from the east. Their disposition along the west front is reported by British fliers.

It is also learned from German prisoners that the enemy is preparing some new sort of frightfulness—whose nature is so far unrevealed.

The same prisoners said ammunition had been extensively distributed over the German lines, pointing to an early attack.

Captured German documents include orders and special measures to prevent depredations.

The weather continues highly unfavorable for infantry fighting. It is slushy and muddy under foot and drizzling overhead.

The whole of Flanders is once again a veritable bog.

## Accident.

A bad accident occurred at Burdett Monday of last week, when a man named Stewart who was engaged in the task of digging a well for Mrs. C. Strand north of town was thrown to the bottom and badly injured.

It appears he was about to start work and for that purpose his son was lowering him to the bottom of the well by means of a windlass when the latter broke. The well is forty-two feet deep and when Stewart fell to the bottom a lot of earth tumbled him. In addition the windlass also became detached and falling with the earth the mass fell upon the unfortunate man with great force. With the assistance of several of Burdett's citizens who were quickly upon the scene, Stewart was brought to the top and eventually taken to the hospital at Medicine Hat, where enquiries made afterwards elicited the fact that it was believed, in addition to other minor injuries, his back was badly injured.



THE RED CROSS.

(Continued)

"The Cross—a small neat stain where blood has been.

The Cross—that whispers hope to fighting men.

The Red, Red Cross—that bears its simple grace,

In colors of the heart, within a blue substance.

—Anon.

"Wipe Out the Kaiser," is Red Cross Slogan.

Down in St. Petersburg, Fla., the slogan of the Red Cross workers there is "Wipe out the Kaiser." They hope to obtain 5000 new members during the big membership campaign.

A large likeness of the kaiser is being painted on the side of a prominent building. It will be blocked off in squares, each square to represent a certain number of new members. As the number of members is obtained the square will be painted out. It is hoped to completely obliterate the kaiser by painting out all of the squares.

Some adverse comment is reaching the government at Ottawa with respect to the War Charities' Act, passed at the last session of parliament, which, for the most part, did not go into effect until December. The act was passed for the purpose of regulating and controlling the collection of money and material from the public and the distribution of assistance to soldiers and their dependents. There is no intention, it is emphasized, to curb the generosity of the Canadian people, but rather to provide that such generosity does not fall of full effect by reason of fraud or lack of business methods. The regulations that only charities of war which



THEODOR FOSSUM  
Who will give a piano recital in St. Michael's hall, Bow Island, on Tuesday next, January 22.

are incorporated may be registered, was inserted in order to insure that societies undertaking relief work have regular officers and constitutions, and that all their accounts are audited by properly qualified persons. Organizations such as the Red Cross or the Patriotic Fund, which are established by act of parliament and have the right to establish branches and control the financial dealings of the branches registered, nor is it necessary that small local and church organizations should be registered. For instance, if a church organization desires to hold a bazaar or entertainment to obtain funds for the Red Cross, a written approval of the Red Cross branch or the provincial branch may authorize the holding of the bazaar or other method of raising money, but the proceeds must be handed to the Red Cross or other association approving of it, and the expenditure must be shown in the statement and carried into the accounts of the Red Cross or other association. All war charities are required to keep minutes of their meetings and to make half-yearly returns which will be scrutinized by officers of the department of the secretary of state.

This is for the purpose of checking extraordinary expenditures or diversion of funds from the proper channels. The whole object is to make sure that all the money raised for efforts through the war reaches them with as much economy as possible.

## A Branch at Burdett.

We are pleased to hear that Burdett will shortly have a branch of the Red Cross society. Mrs. Hicks, of Leithbridge, arrived here on Tuesday night to make the preliminary arrangements. The meeting was held at Mrs. M. A. Hardie's and it was decided, we understand, to hold future meetings in the Council Chamber, which has been kindly placed at their disposal by the Village Council.

## Gas Fixtures

Includes Pipe of all dimensions, Gas Brackets, Mantles Globes, etc.

WE HAVE THEM ALL.

## Don't Build

Until you get our prices on Hardware.

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HARDWARE STORE.  
MAIN STREET BOW ISLAND

## Get Your Pumps

and Connections NOW.

In line with everything else these will probably take a jump in the spring.

And when talking about Pumps, how about the Engine? You want a good one.

See our Alpha 1 1-2 h.p. with magneto. It's a gem.

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McClary's Cook Stoves, Heating Stoves, for gas or coal.

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## We Specialize on Radiator and Battery Repairs.

CYLINDER RE-BORING (all sizes and makes of Cars Prompt service. Work guaranteed.

CENTRAL GARAGE, Medicine Hat, Alta

## Prime Meats and Provisions



only are sold at this market. We sell satisfaction with every pound of meat we cut. Housewives who deal here regularly will tell you that our meats are always full weight and always first class.

Fuller & Smith  
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## A black and white line drawing of a vintage open-top automobile, likely from the early 20th century. The car is shown from a side profile, facing right. It has large spoked wheels, a high chassis, and a folded-down convertible top at the rear. The drawing is simple and appears to be a technical or illustrative sketch.

The United Farmers' convention, which is to be held in Calgary on Tuesday next, January 22nd, will probably be the most momentous in the history of this organization. It is expected that somewhere about 3,500 delegates will be present if the weather is favorable, and for this number great exertions have been made to provide accommodation. It is thought, however, that sufficient room will be found for all who go. The program has been issued but is altogether of too lengthy

in nature to be reproduced in these columns. It will be an interesting one, however, and should keep the delegates busy until the time of their departure. The convention headquarters in Calgary will be in the Loughheed building. The United Farm Women will also have a busy time if the program mapped out is carried through in its entirety. Special arrangements, it is understood, are being made for the care of children so that mothers will be free to attend the sessions and give the time know that their little ones are being well looked after.

Thursday, February 7th

Legal notices, 12c. per line first  
section, 8c. per line each subsequent  
insertion

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To look over your harness and see what repairs are needed. With our up-to-date machinery, we can repair and oil your Harness thoroughly at a SMALL COST. Don't forget the old proverb—"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE."

It Applies to Your Harness.

**Bow Island Saddlery, - - W. J. Oliver.**

## Begin the New Year Right.

**WEED OUT YOUR OLD FURNITURE -- AND BUY NEW.**

We have just received another car of Furniture, including DAVENPORTS, DAYNETTES, ROLL TOP DESKS, etc. Call in and look them over.

Agent for Newcombe Pianos.

White Sewing Machines.

Needles to fit any kind of Sewing Machine.

Try our Furniture Polish. Guaranteed to do good work.

**Bow Island Furniture Store.**  
M. J. HARFORD, proprietor.

## Winnifred.

M. J. Collins will leave for Calgary on January 12th as delegate to the U.F.A. Mrs. Collins will be the representative for the U.F. Women's Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parker left on Monday for Medicine Hat to seek medical advice for their sick baby.

Mrs. John Christopherson left on January 15th to visit friends in Medicine Hat.

Friends of Mrs. G. R. McKee are pleased to see her around again after ten weeks' sickness.

We understand arrangements have been made to have a consolidated school here.

Mrs. Paul Buching entertained the Ladies' Aid at her home on January 17th. Mrs. Buching served a delightful repast and extended to the ladies the greatest hospitality.

Mr. Phil DeWald is expecting to build a seven-roomed house in the early spring.

Rev. Wood has expectations of seeing a new church erected here in the early future.

P. J. DeMarce, who sustained a broken leg last fall by his horse bolting while at work in the field, is able to be around again after a long spell in bed.

Mrs. Weatherley and daughter of Bow Island were visitors in Winnifred on Monday.

Mrs. Fred Blanchette has returned from Medicine Hat. Mother and babe were glad to say, are doing fine.

Mr. Tubman, of the Lake of the Woods elevator, has been notified to report in Winnifred on January 26th. Mr. Tubman, we understand, will undergo a course in aviation. Although we appreciate the patriotic course he has taken, Winnifred will be sorry to see him go.

Messrs. Larsen & Hinck have recently built an addition their store. They have also made several improvements to the interior, thus adding greatly to its efficiency and appearance.

Joe Winslow left for Saskatchewan the other week, with the intention we hear, of returning with a bride.

The Winnifred Hotel was recently taken over by F. Lovegrove, who has completely re-modelled it. The rooms are now warm and comfortable, and are much appreciated by the Winnifred public.

## Buy at this Store and win - that - \$1125.00 MAXWELL CAR.

Every dollar spent here or every dollar paid on account gives you one guess. REMEMBER---our sales slips dated November 19th to January 18th inclusive are all good for a guess on that

## JAR OF WHEAT.

We want our customers to take advantage of this Contest. Call in and see cut of the jar which contains the wheat and send all your guesses, accompanied by our sales slips to the Daily News Contest Dept., Medicine

Hat, Alberta.

## Bow Island Mercantile Co.

J. W. HURD, proprietor.

## A NEW YEAR'S GIFT.

Every home in Canada should treat itself to the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal for 1918. It will bring pleasure and happiness to every member of the family for every week of the year. The price is only \$1.25, and if your subscription is received on time you will receive a copy of their great War Map, size 21 1/2 feet x 31 1/2 feet, in four colors and surrounded with a border of facsimile badges representing nearly every battalion that left Canada. It is the biggest value ever offered the people of Canada and no home can well afford to be without it.

The Family Herald and Weekly Star has no equal on this continent as a great family and farm paper.

The next regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Saturday, January 19th. A full attendance of the members is requested.

## For Sale



Second-hand Ford Car \$300  
" " " \$400

Both in good running order with improved Ford lights. Needn't be afraid of dark any more with IMPROVED FORD LIGHTS, and you get them here any time for only \$6.00. If you have any doubt take and try before you buy. Every one guaranteed.

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## GREAT CLOSING - OUT SALE.

Every piece of winter merchandise in the house to be sold at the ACTUAL WHOLESALE COST. Ladies', Gent's and Children's Underwear, Overshoes, Rubbers, Sweater Coats, Sox, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Blankets, Yarns, all Flannels, Dress Goods, Coats, Skirts, Macinaw Coats, Shirts, Caps, and Pants. ALL TO GO AT COST.

Half Price off on all Ladies' Waists and Fancy Neckwear.

One-third off on all Boys' Suits & Overcoats.

One-fourth off on all Enamel & Tinware.

One-fourth off on all China and Glassware.

One-third off on all Cut Glass.

15 per cent. off any Shoe in the Store.

Ladies' & Gents' reg. 9.50 Brown Russian Calf with neoline sole and rubber heel at 6.95.

Ladies' & Gents' reg. 2.45 Felt House Slippers at 1.45.

**Hoaglin's Departmental Store**

**Bow Island**